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PATENT

Preliminary Classification:

Proposed Class:

Subclass:

**TRANSMITTAL LETTER TO THE U.S. DESIGNATED OFFICE (DO/US)--  
ENTRY INTO THE U.S. NATIONAL STAGE UNDER CHAPTER I**

PCT/AU2004/001204	06 September 2004 (6.09.04)	28 October 2003 (28.10.03)
International Application No.	International Filing Date	Priority Date Claimed

Control Method and Control System for A Controllable Pitch Marine Propeller  
Title of Invention

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Applicant(s)

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1. Applicant herewith submits to the United States Designated Office (DO/US) the following items under 35 U.S.C. § 371:

This express request to immediately begin national examination procedures (35 U.S.C. § 371(f)).

The U.S. National Fee (U.S.C. § 371(c)(1)) and other fees (37 C.F.R. § 1.492), as indicated below:

2. Fees

CLAIMS FEE*	(1) FOR	(2) NUMBER FILED	(3) NUMBER EXTRA	(4) RATE	
	TOTAL CLAIMS	29 - 20 =	9	x \$50.00 =	\$450.00
	INDEPENDENT CLAIMS	2 - 3 =	0	x \$200.00 =	\$0.00
	MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM(S) (if applicable) + \$360.00				\$0.00
NATIONAL STAGE FEES	Basic filing fee \$300.00				
	Examination fee				
	All other situations \$200.00				
SMALL ENTITY	Search Fee				
	All other situations \$500.00				
	Total of National Stage Fees				\$1,000.00
	Total of above Calculations				\$1,450.00
	Reduction by 1/2 for filing by small entity, if applicable. Assertion must be made (note 37 CFR 1.27).				\$725.00
	Subtotal				\$725.00
	Total National Fee				\$725.00
	Fee for recording the enclosed assignment document \$40.00 (37 CFR 1.21(h)). (See Item below). See attached "ASSIGNMENT COVER SHEET".				\$40.00

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TOTAL		Total Fees enclosed \$765.00
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**Assertion of Small Entity Status**

Applicant hereby asserts status as a small entity under 37 C.F.R. § 1.27.

Attached is a check in the amount of \$765.00.

Charge any additional fees required by this paper or credit any overpayment in the manner authorized above.

A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

3. A copy of the International application as filed (35 U.S.C. § 371(c)(2)) has been transmitted by the International Bureau. Date of mailing of the application from form PCT/IB/308:
4. A translation of the International application into the English language (35 U.S.C. § 371(c)(2)) is not required as the application was filed in English.
5. An oath or declaration, including power of attorney, of the inventor (35 U.S.C. § 371(c)(4)) complying with 35 U.S.C. § 115 is submitted herewith, and such oath or declaration

**Other document(s) or information included:**

6. An international Search Report or Declaration under PCT Article 17(2)(a) is transmitted herewith.
7. An Information Disclosure Statement is enclosed.
8. An assignment document is transmitted herewith for recording. A separate FORM PTO-1595 is also attached.
9. Additional documents:

Copy of request (PCT/RO/101)

International Publication No. WO 2005/044659

- Specification, claims and drawing

Preliminary amendment (37 C.F.R. § 1.121)

**AUTHORIZATION TO CHARGE ADDITIONAL FEES**

Please charge, in the manner authorized above, the following additional fees that may be required by this paper and during the entire pendency of this application:

basic fee

search fee

examination fee

37 C.F.R. § 1.16 (presentation of extra claims).

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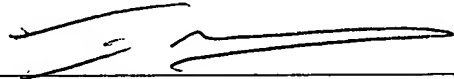
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37 C.F.R. 1.16(s) (additional fee for specification and drawings filed in paper over 100 sheets).

37 C.F.R. § 1.17 (application processing fees)

37 C.F.R. § 1.17(a)(1)-(5) (extension fees pursuant to Section 1.136(a))

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